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Examiner: Dwain M. Craig

Atty. Dkt. No.: ITL.0278US (P7627)

Mail Stop **PETITION**
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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PETITION TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT

Dear Sir:

I hereby petition to withdraw the holding of abandonment in this case, on the basis of non-receipt of the Notice of Allowance.

I hereby state:

1. We received a Notice of Abandonment dated February 2, 2006.
2. I have conducted a search of the file jacket and docket records and both indicate that a Notice of Allowance was not received. Attached is a printout of the Case History which was generated from our docketing program which indicates that no Notice of Allowance was received.

In consideration of these submissions, it is respectfully requested that the holding of abandonment be withdrawn and that the Notice of Allowance be reissued.

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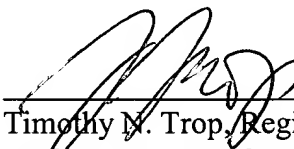
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I hereby certify under 37 CFR 1.8(a) that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Mail Stop Petition, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.
<u>Sherry Tipton</u>
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Respectfully submitted,

Date: 2/9/06



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Title

METHOD FOR MODELING HARDWARE USING SOFTWARE

Description

Current Expense Information

Other Case-Related Information

Actions

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